

In re application of: Claudio Adragna et al.  
 Serial No.: 10/824,630  
 Filed: April 14, 2004  
 For: CIRCUIT FOR CONTROLLING THE MINIMUM  
 OPERATING VOLTAGE OF A SWITCHING  
 POWER SUPPLY



COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
 P.O. Box 1450  
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- [ ] Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.  
 [ ] A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.  
 [X] A petition for extension of time is hereby requested.  
 [ ] A notice of appeal is enclosed.  
 [ ] No additional fee is required.

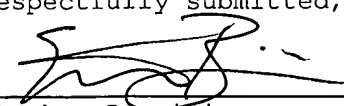
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TOTAL	20	MINUS	20	=	0	x 25	\$	OR	x 50	\$
INDEP CLAIMS	6	MINUS	3	=	3	x 100	\$	OR	x 200	\$ 600
[ ] FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM						+180	\$	OR	+360	\$
						TOTAL	\$	OR	TOTAL	\$ 600

- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment in the amount of \$ 600.00 to cover the filing fee to Deposit Account No. 50-1556.  
 [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment in the amount of \$ 450.00 to cover the extension fee to Deposit Account No. 50-1556.  
 [ ] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to cover the notice of appeal fee to Deposit Account No. 50-1556.  
 [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1556.  
 [X] Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.  
 [X] Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 1, 2006, the due date for response to which has been extended to July 3, 2006 (the first business day after July 1, 2006) by the enclosed petition for extension of time, in connection with the above-identified application, please enter and consider the following amendment and remarks.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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